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In re Application of Todd F. Mozer

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Title: CLIENT-SERVER SECURITY

SYSTEM AND METHOD

DECISION ON RENEWED PETITION

UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.181

This is a decision on the renewed petition filed on November 17, 2006, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.181, requesting that the holding of abandonment in the above-identified application be withdrawn.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37 C.F.R §1.113 in a timely manner to the final Office action mailed September 19, 2005, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 C.F.R §1.136(a) were obtained, and no further responses were received. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on December 20, 2005. A notice of abandonment was mailed on May 16, 2006.

The original petition was received on June 22, 2006, and was dismissed via the mailing of a decision on September 11, 2006. Petitioner asserted that the Office communication was not received, attested that a search of the file jacket and docket records indicates that the Office communication was not received, and provided a copy of the docket record where the nonreceived Office communication would have been entered had it been received and docketed.

The decision noted that the Office communication was returned to the Office on September 26, 2005, and that at the time the Office action was mailed (September 19, 2005), the correspondence address of record was different from the present correspondence address. It was further noted that a Change of Correspondence Address was filed on October 24, 2005.

With this renewed petition, Petitioner has stated, over his registration number, that the address to which the Office communication was mailed was his correct address at the time of the mailing.

Accordingly, the petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.181(a) is **GRANTED**. The holding of abandonment is **WITHDRAWN**.

The Technology Center will be notified of this decision. The Technology Center's support staff will re-mail the final Office action of September 19, 2005, and will set a new period for response.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3225<sup>1</sup>. All other inquiries concerning examination procedures or status of the application should be directed to the Technology Center.

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<sup>1</sup> Petitioner will note that all practice before the Office should be in writing, and the action of the Office will be based exclusively on the written record in the Office. See 37 C.F.R. \$1.2. As such, Petitioner is reminded that no telephone discussion may be controlling or considered authority for Petitioner's further action(s).